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**MILITARY MEDICAL STUDENTS TO SERVE
AS LIAISONS TO U.S. MEDICAL ASSOCIATION**

BETHESDA, Md. – Two medical students attending the Uniformed Services University will represent the Association of American Medical Colleges on a pair of key student liaison panels. Both are serving in the Navy and received their undergraduate degrees from the U.S. Naval Academy.

Ensign David Brett-Major, who will complete his third year of medical school this month, will represent the AAMC as the student member on the Liaison Committee on Medical Education. His one-year term begins July 1.

Ensign Sean McBride has been appointed by the Administrative Board of the AAMC to serve as the student liaison to the Committee on Admissions. He is finishing his second year of medical school.

Both students earned their bachelor's degree from the Naval Academy. Ensign Brett-Major graduated in 1992 and served as a surface warfare officer and Naval Academy instructor before entering USU in 1998. Ensign McBride, who graduated from the Naval Academy in 1988, was a pilot and also taught at the Naval Academy Prep School before beginning medical school in 1999.

Established by Congress in 1972, the Uniformed Services University has the nation's only fully accredited federal school of medicine and graduate school of nursing. It has provided the country with more than 3,000 outstanding military and public health physicians, scientists and health care practitioners. Graduates of the tri-service medical school incur a minimum service commitment of seven years following residency training. While attending medical school, students receive free tuition and are paid a military officer's salary.

